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In re Application of  
Robert L. Jaffe  
Application No. 09/086,138  
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 7, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is Granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned as a result of petitioner's failure to take appropriate action in a timely manner after the decision of October 29, 2002 by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. Therefore, the proceedings as to the rejected claims were terminated. See 37 CFR 1.197(c). As no claim was allowed, the above-identified application became abandoned on December 30, 2002. See MPEP 1214.06.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 1627 for further processing.

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